

## House Resolution No. 3045

**Whereas**, it is with special pleasure that the members of the Missouri House of Representatives pause to recognize an outstanding Missouri citizen who has brought great commitment and steadfast dedication to the teaching profession; and

**Whereas**, Wesley Elders, an esteemed resident of Kansas City, Missouri, is retiring from Northeast Middle School after a rewarding career in education that has spanned many wonderful years; and

**Whereas**, Wesley Elders has played an integral role in the educational development of several Missouri youngsters as an educator at Northeast Middle School, during which time he has helped the school to become a supporting and active member of the Northeast Kansas City Chamber of Commerce; and

**Whereas**, Wesley Elders helped establish the NExT Generation Youth Exhibit and has co-sponsored the annual event with the Historic Northeast Cultural Arts Commission; and

**Whereas**, Wesley Elders was also instrumental in the inception of the English as a Second Language program, and served as an organizer of the program in conjunction with Northwest Missouri State University and Lincoln University; and

**Whereas**, the Business Associate of the Year, Wesley Elders has compiled an enviable list of service to several important organizations which include the Northeast Kansas City Chamber of Commerce; and

**Whereas**, Wesley Elders has been abundantly blessed with the love and admiration of a wonderful family whose members include his devoted wife, Judy; and his two sons, Wesley Jr., and Christopher:

**Now, therefore, be it resolved** that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-third General Assembly, unanimously join in expressing our utmost appreciation to Wesley Elders for his many years of unparalleled service to Northeast Middle School and to the teaching profession; and

**Be it further resolved** that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for Wesley Elders.

Offered by \_\_\_\_\_  
Representative John Burnett  
District No. 40

I, Rod Jetton, Speaker of the House of Representatives,  
Ninety-third General Assembly, First Regular Session, do  
certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House  
Resolution No. 3045, adopted May 9, 2005.

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Rod Jetton, Speaker

